

those outside. Your theory of inaction would defeat the law. You have not dared to weed out the incompetents."

Judge Edgerton concludes with a criticism of the conduct of one of the other commissioners, without mentioning his name.

CABINET CONUNDRUMS.

A Variety of Solutions from the Hoosier Capital

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—[By the Associated Press.] Speculation as to Gen. Harrison's probable Cabinet still continues the engrossing theme in political and journalistic circles. Efforts to name a complete

Cabinet are widely variant, especially as to the portfolios of the Interior, Justice and Agriculture. There is, however, a harmonious opinion as to the other five portfolios, scarcely any one being found who is willing to gainsay the present conviction that Blaine will be Secretary of State, Windom Secretary of the Treasury, Rusk of Wisconsin Secretary of War, Thomas of Illinois Secretary of the Navy and Wanamaker Postmaster-General. There is a pretty good foundation for supposing Gen. John

W. Noble of St. Louis with the Interior Secretaryship, and the persistence with which the name of W. H. H. Miller of this city is being coupled with the Attorney-Generalship causes many to believe that the report has real foundation, but the best authorities give the Department of Justice to Judge Esteve of California. Nearly all of the Cabinet makers, for some reason, have Warner Miller's name in their minds, and no agricultural portfolio and not a few give also ex-Senator Eliatt one of the coveted seats.

Among the callers on Gen. Harrison today were ex-Gov. Redfield Proctor of Ver-

mont, who is en route home from California; John W. Dinsmore and J. H. Cheney of Bloomington, Ill., and Col. J. H. Smith of New Mexico.

At a late hour tonight it is learned that since the long talk today between Gov. Proctor of Vermont and Gen. Harrison certain and well-informed gentlemen have said that Mr. Proctor for Secretary of War is in preference to the Congressman Thomas H. Smith. The superior qualifications of Mr. Thomas for this position by reason of his long and laborious service in the Committee on Naval Affairs is conceded, but the meager representation in the East, together

With the fact that Mr. Thomas's appointment would necessitate a special election in his district, are being used as arguments why the portfolio may go to Vermont.

Another important Cabinet rumor late to night is that W. O. Bradley of Kentucky has been tendered and has accepted the Attorney Generalship. Nothing, however, has been done to verify these reports tonight, however.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—It is reported here tonight on what is deemed excellent authority, that Gen. John W. Noble has admitted to intimate friends that he not only has been offered but has accepted the position of Secretary of the Interior.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Reports from Ir-
dianapolis are today to the effect that Con-
gressman John K. Thomas of Illinois is se-
lected for Secretary of the Navy. Thomas
declines to confirm or deny the truth of the
rumor. To a friend he said a telegram was
received in Washington last night from Sec-
retary Halford saying he had been selected.
Cullom telegraphed Harrison this afternoon
that if the report was true it would please
the people of Illinois.

CLAYTON'S ASSASSINS.

They Are Said to Be Known as

St. Louis, Feb. 18.—[By the Associate Press.] The Little Rock (Ark.) Gazette says: "There is but little doubt, from facts that have come to light within the past few days, that the assassins of C. John M. Clayton are known, and that before long they will be in the clutches of the law."

publican, overruled. There is no Central Committee for the compromise by which the prosecution would be stopped. The committee agreed to compromise, but refused to withdraw the reward offered for the arrest of the masked men who stole the ballot box. The representatives of the parties at Morrison returned to that point feeling that the agreement would be satisfactory, and stating the friend of Col. Clayton in Little Rock that he believed the agreement would save Col. Clayton's life. The parties for whom he had been treating, however, refused to comply with the terms, because the reward was too small.

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.), Feb. 18.—C. Coffman today presented in the Lower House of the Arkansas Legislature his resignations of himself and three colleagues—Walter, Nickell and Granberry. Representatives of Pulaski county, in which nine ballot-boxes, containing a large Republican majority, were stolen from the office of the County clerk last September. The Committee on Elections submitted a report.

Thomson, Col. R. H. Morheart, E. J. Owe and A. J. Rice, Republicans, who immediately took the oaths of office and the ser of the four retiring members.

TARIFF REFORMERS.

They Receive a Startling Letter from Cleveland.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18. — [By the Associated Press.] A surprise is in store for delegates to the American Tariff Reform Conference, which begins its session

this city tomorrow. President Cleveland has written a letter which, it is understood, makes at some length positive declarations of his views upon the tariff question, and its future in American policy. The letter was written to Corresponding Secretary White, who declines to allow it to be sent tonight, but intimates that it will cause something of a sensation. Aside from the convention will have plenty of business to consider. It seems probable that the tariff reformers already arrived there, an animated contest will occur between those who want absolute free trade, or

approximation to it, and those who advocate middle views. A new element in convention will be the single land-tax man. The strength of the league is put by secretary at 12,000, mostly Democrats, although the organization claims to be non-partisan strictly.

▲ CYCLONE.

It Spreads Death and Destruction in Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), Feb. 18.—(By Associated Press.) It is reported that

cyclone passed through Bibb county, so of here, last night, doing great damage. Several persons are said to have been killed and many injured. It is impossible to obtain full particulars tonight.

ATLANTA (Ga.), Feb. 18.—A cyclone passed over Banks county this morning. Thomas Stevens and son and Mr. and M. Meaders were instantly killed. Another son of Mr. Stevens was injured.

The Electric Sugar Kafir.
ANN ARBOR (Mich.), Feb. 18.—

Friend and the other Electric Sugar people are still in jail. They will make a strategic legal fight against the validity of the patent held by the New York officers.

Lawson N. Fuller, one of the directors of the company, maintains that there is doubt that Friend's refining process is a genuine new discovery, and declares it will put all these folks in the penitentiary unless they disclose the process.

THE REPUBLICANS.

A FULL CITY TICKET MADE UP YESTERDAY.

Hon. H. T. Hazard for Mayor—Teed Chosen for City Clerk and President Republican Incumbents Renominated by Acclamation—A Strong Ticket.

The convention that assembled on the floor of Turnverein Hall yesterday to place in nomination a city ticket was certainly a credit to the Republican party. It contained such war horses as Judge Carpenter, Gen. Rollins and other first-class members of the party, and the average for character and standing in the county. The interest taken in the proceedings by the general public was evinced by a crowded gallery and lobby. The precaution had been observed of stretching a rope across the hall to define the floor of the convention, and this served a good purpose.

At exactly 10 a. m. C. E. P. Johnson, chairman of the City Central Committee, called the convention to order, and Mr. R. Higgins, secretary of the same committee, read the call.

The delegates having taken seats by wards, nominations for

TEMPORARY OFFICERS.

Judge Variel nominated for temporary chairman Dr. Walter Lindley. Judge Carpenter nominated Gen. Rollins. The vote was taken by wards, and scored 68 for Lindley to 64 for Rollins. Dr. Lindley was declared unanimously elected, and was escorted to the chair. On assuming the gavel, Dr. Lindley said:

THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH.

"I appreciate profoundly the great honor you have conferred upon me. The heart of every member of this convention is doubtless filled with love and loyalty for the principles of the great Republican party. Each one of us feels the every fiber of his being thrill with joy and pride when the history of his party is referred to; from the early days, when it placed in the Presidential chair that purest, grandest figure in American history—Abraham Lincoln—who whose hands the shackles were stricken from a million slaves, down to recent times, when it crushed the hydra-headed monster of English free trade, and elected as the Chief Executive of these United States that typical American soldier-citizen, Benjamin Harrison. (Applause.) I repeat, we are all enthusiastic Republicans, because we believe to be true Republicans is to be right, yet there are questions which strike a chord that is above all party lines; there are questions burning, that affect the very life and happiness of our families; questions which cross the threshold of the poorest laborer and the wealthiest banker. Shall our children be educated in great herds, crowded in ill-built, poorly-ventilated schoolhouses? Shall the sewage of this city of 100,000 souls lie in our back yards and in our streets, the mephitic gases emanating therefrom bearing scelerate fevers and diphtheria into our households and leaving misery, woe and grief? Shall the money you taxpayers pay into the treasury for streets, police and light be obligated to pass into the hands of bootleggers and political tricksters? Shall the ghoul, vampire and humanized wolves who are haunting this convention, and who to a great extent controlled the late Democratic convention, be allowed to handle and direct the expenditure of the thousands of dollars that are paid annually into the city treasury?"

"These are the questions we have to grapple today; not mere party questions, but business questions. We are all stockholders in the great corporation of the city of Los Angeles, and we are here as business men to select business men to manage the affairs of this city."

"I value highly political merit and the necessity of political rewards and punishments, but in this crisis, in the history of Los Angeles we should hold as paramount to all other requirements that our candidates be honorable and capable. Happily, today that which interests the interest of the city of Los Angeles is also to the interest of the Republican party, and I prophesy that you will nominate a ticket composed of such unexcelled men as have never in the evening of next Thursday come we will know that it has been entirely victorious."

THE REST OF THE ORGANIZATION.

Mr. R. Higgins was unanimously elected temporary secretary, and Prof. U. S. G. Glick assistant.

W. A. Fortune, A. Brown, Louis Pepper, J. Coleman and Louis Martin were appointed sergeants-at-arms.

The usual motions for the appointment of committees on credentials, permanent organization and order of business were made and resolutions were made and carried, each committee to consist of nine delegates, one from each ward.

On motion of Mr. Finlayson, all resolutions submitted to the convention were referred to the appropriate committee without debate.

A recess of ten minutes was then taken to allow the chairman to make up his committee.

After the convention had again been called to order the following

COMMITTEES

were announced:

Permanent Organization.—C. N. Earl, Gen. Rollins, Maj. W. C. Furze, W. S. Moore, F. McCoy, Alexander Crawford, L. J. Lewellyn, H. S. Morrison, H. T. Lee. **Resolutions.**—D. Gilbert Dexter, Judge R. B. Carpenter, G. M. Holton, Mr. T. Allen, W. P. F. McIntosh, H. D. Barrows, R. J. Northam, R. H. F. Variel. **Credentials.**—Robert McGavin, D. W. Field, L. N. Breed, J. M. Carter, K. H. Hewitt, C. E. Wallin, F. N. Paul, Rudolph Miller, S. M. Perry.

The convention then, at 11:30 a. m., took an adjournment for dinner until 1 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Chairman Lindley called the convention to order at five minutes past 1 o'clock.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was read and adopted as follows:

THE DELEGATES.

First Ward.—Fifteen delegates: D. Gilbert Dexter, J. B. Conlee, W. W. Stockwell, F. G. Finlayson, J. N. Tibbits, John Horner, A. E. Meigs, Martin Wetzel, L. Brown, E. P. Carmichael, B. H. Ihms, George W. Woodward, Robert McGavin, C. G. Fox, C. N. Earl.

Second Ward, Precinct A.—Thirteen delegates: John Morton, L. J. Graham, D. W. Field, John W. Green, E. S. Rogers, C. A. Wilson, J. W. Francis, L. D. Hutchinson, J. M. Davies, C. G. Bonnell, H. M. Russell, G. S. Robinson, S. K. Adams.

Precinct B.—Thirteen delegates: Gen. H. G. Rollins, Judge R. B. Carpenter, E. V. Naud, T. S. Bevins, A. J. Norton, F. L. Luterio, A. Smith, E. J. Niles, D. F. Donagan, J. R. Stewart, P. Pollis, A. S. Heitchew, F. C. Clemence.

Third Ward.—Twenty-three delegates: F. A. Stanton, Robert S. Platt, George R. Shatto, Ralph E. Hoyt, Dr. Walter Lindley, George M. Holton, Robert Wade, George M. Parsons, A. B. Conrad, R. M. Burnham, Robert Owens, C. W. Gates, Frank Roder, E. A. Forrester, Dr. W. G. Cochran, H. T. Newell, W. C. Furze, J. M. Witter, L. N. Breed, Arthur Gray, U. S. G. Glick, Jean Blocher, J. H. Book.

Fourth Ward.—Fifteen delegates: E. P. Johnson, R. H. Hewitt, J. W. Haverstick, W. E. Dunn (proxy to C. O. Scott), Thomas Mitchell (proxy to M. H. Fairbanks), William Wright, E. Higgins, L. D. Johnson, J. A. Fairchild, J. F. Allen, W. S. Moore, H. Z. Osborne (proxy to E. P. Johnson), J. A. Kelly, John O'Hara, A. J. Copp.

Fifth Ward.—Five delegates: J. M. Carter, B. H. F. Variel, L. Lee, S. J. Laitwell, P. F. Casey.

Sixth Ward.—Six delegates: W. P. McIntosh, F. D. Lanterman, C. E. Wallin, Frank McCoy, M. Dockman, Joe Watkins.

Seventh Ward.—Nineteen delegates: N. Paul, T. J. Weldon (proxy to F. N. Paul), Thomas Gilbert, John McMillin, O. W. Baldwin, C. Vanderkublen, Brainerd Smith, H. D. Barrows, Thomas A. Stomba, D. Ullman, S. C. Dodge, L. Sepulveda, L. B. Bell, Alex. Crow, L. W. Walker, R. C. O. Benjamin, F. Peddick (proxy to F. F. Benjamin), J. P. Clark, R. A. Hamilton.

Eighth Ward.—Nine delegates: James Meredith, Joseph Manning, George R. Flint, Dr. McGowan, M. Brady, C.

Richardson, R. Miller, James V. Harrison, J. R. J. Northam, H. S. Clement, Dean Champion, B. Levy, W. H. Cline, J. C. Murray, L. J. Lewellyn, Samuel Gowan, H. P. Hunt, P. J. Stack, J. M. Arnaz.

Ninth Ward.—Seven delegates: R. H. F. Variel, S. C. Hubbell, L. D. Rogers, S. M. Perry, Al Workman, F. A. Yorba, N. H. Morrison.

We recommend the adoption of the following:

"Resolved, that in the absence of a delegate who has not given a proxy, the delegates of the ward present shall be authorized to appoint one of their delegates to act as his proxy."

The report of the Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business was read, making the temporary officers the permanent officers of the convention, and the following was recommended as the order of business:

First.—Report of Committee on Credentials.

Second.—Collection of 50 cents from each delegate.

Third.—Nominations of Mayor, City Clerk, City Attorney, City Treasurer, City Assessor, City Tax and License Collector, City Auditor, City Engineer, Street Superintendent, Police Judges.

Each ward shall select two members of the City Central Committee, one member of the City Council and one member of the Board of Education, and report the same to the convention.

Every candidate must appear before the convention and pay the sum of \$3. All moneys in excess of the expenses of the convention shall be turned over to the chairman of the City Central Committee for campaign purposes.

All speeches shall be limited to three minutes each.

All resolutions must be referred without debate to the Committee on Platform and Resolutions.

A majority of the votes cast shall be requisite to elect in all cases.

The vote shall in all cases be taken in delegation and announced by the chairman of each ward except in the selection of Police Judges, which shall be by ballot in convention, and no delegate shall cast more than one vote for any one candidate for Police Judge.

Judge Carpenter moved to strike out the clause limiting the time for speech-making to three minutes. He said he did not believe in railroad time, and through the convention wanted time to deliberate, and to get the candidates properly before it.

Judge Carpenter's motion was carried by a rising vote.

The report was then adopted as a whole.

PLATFORM.

The report of the Committee on Platform and Resolutions was then read by Judge Carpenter, chairman of the committee, as follows:

"Resolved, that the Republican party is not under the necessity of asserting its adherence to the laws of the land—national, State or municipal. The Union is preserved by its statehood, valor and patriotism; the unprecedented prosperity of the country since the war under its guidance, and every line of its imperishable history proclaim its devotion to constitutional liberty, law and honest government."

"Resolved, that we pledge ourselves to a clear, able and vigorous administration of the local affairs of this city, and an efficient enforcement of existing laws."

"Resolved, that we are in favor of additional municipal legislation for the purpose of inaugurating and completing a well-planned and judicious system of internal improvements, that our city may take the position to which she is entitled by her location, wealth, intelligence and population."

"Resolved, that a scientific and practical system of sewerage and drainage, with its outlet in the Pacific Ocean, is a matter of paramount importance; that the work should be commenced immediately and prosecuted vigorously."

"Resolved, that in the employment of labor upon the public works of the city the preference should be given to our own citizens."

"Resolved, that the common school facilities in regard to buildings and the number of teachers are inadequate to the needs of the city, and we favor the construction of additional schoolhouses and the payment of additional competent teachers and the prompt adoption of such other measures, whether permanent or temporary, as will promote the immediate operation, and the provisions of our beneficial school laws."

"Resolved, that the Chief of Police and entire force should be men of courage, integrity and character, to the end that the people may be protected from the depredations of thieves and burglars, and persons as compensation for their contributions to the city government."

"Resolved, that we require an honest, intelligent and faithful expenditure of the people's money."

"Resolved, that all public officers should be held to a strict accountability for their official conduct."

The next thing on the programme was the collection of 50 cents from the delegates. J. M. Meredith and W. S. Moore were appointed collectors by the Chair, and raked in the coin.

FOR MAYOR.

The Chair announced that the next business before the convention would be the nomination of Mayor.

George M. Holton said he wished to place before the convention a gentleman who has become a part of the history of Los Angeles. He then placed in nomination Henry T. Hazard. Mr. Holton's announcement we received loud applause.

Barney Levy moved that the nominations be closed. No action. Maj. Furze moved that Mr. Hazard be nominated by acclamation. No action.

Judge Carpenter got the floor and said he believed the question was a debatable one. (Voice from the gallery: "Hazard—he's the only man who can win the fight.")

Judge Carpenter continued: "That's all right, but we don't propose to be run by the gallery. I am here for the purpose of performing a duty, and I shall attempt to do it." He then proceeded to nominate Judge Fitzgerald in a graceful way.

Gen. Rollins then got the floor and said he wished to put another gentleman in the field. He paid a high tribute to Gen. Mansfield, the statesman and soldier, and said he was confident that he would be a proper man for the place, and an honor to the city.

H. D. Barrows and R. C. O. Benjamin seconded the nomination of Gen. Mansfield. Mr. Finlayson of the First Ward seconded the nomination of Henry T. Hazard.

Mr. Pollis of the Second Ward seconded the nomination of Gen. Mansfield.

Capt. Johnson seconded the nomination of Judge Fitzgerald.

Col. Moore seconded the nomination of Gen. Mansfield, and paid a high tribute to that gentleman.

THE CANDIDATES APPEAR. Mr. Hazard was loudly called for. He mounted the stand, and after putting up his \$5 piece, made a neat speech.

Judge Fitzgerald and Gen. Mansfield paid their respects to the convention in a like manner.

The Chair then instructed the delegates to prepare their ballots for Mayor.

First Ballot.

Hazard..... 55
Fitzgerald..... 48
Mansfield..... 32

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Second Ballot.

Hazard..... 89
Fitzgerald..... 27
Mansfield..... 19

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Mr. Hazard mounted the platform amid loud cheers. He said he had been a resident of the city 24 years and in the proudest moment of his life. He promised, if elected, to give the people an honest administration. The audience gave him three cheers.

CITY CLERK.

Maj. Furze wanted to know if the people in the lobby could be excluded from the hall if they did not keep quiet. The Chair then ordered the crowd back to the rear of the hall.

Capt. Johnson moved that Freeman G. Teed be made the unanimous nominee of the convention. The motion was carried, and Mr. Teed was introduced and thanked the convention in a neat little speech.

CITY ATTORNEY.

Mr. Levy moved that the secretary cast the ballot for Charles McFarland. The motion was carried by a whoop. Mr. McFar-

land had only been in office six weeks, but he proposed to fill out his term in the interest of the taxpayers if elected.

CITY TREASURER.

Mr. Dexter moved that the secretary cast the ballot for M. D. Johnson. The motion was carried, and Col. M. T. Owen appeared for Mr. Johnson and put up the requisite \$5.

CITY ASSESSOR.

Mr. Green moved that the secretary cast the ballot for honest John Fischer. The motion was carried. Uncle John made his bow and thanked the convention.

CITY ENGINEER.

Mr. Adams moved that the secretary cast the ballot for Len J. Thompson. Carried. Mr. Thompson thanked convention and retired.

CITY AUDITOR.

Gen. Rollins placed in nomination Henry W. Edelman.

Mr. Dexter placed in nomination J. S. Van Doren.

Chairman Lindley called Gen. Rollins to the chair and placed in nomination W. W. Robinson.

Mr. Glick placed in nomination F. B. Alderson.

Mr. de las Casas placed in nomination F. M. Lopez.

The nominations were then closed, and the candidates were required to step forward and deposit \$5 each with the secretary.

First Ballot.

Edelman..... 23
Van Doren..... 30
Robinson..... 24
Alderson..... 25
Lopez..... 13

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Second Ballot.

Edelman..... 24
Van Doren..... 23
Robinson..... 21
Alderson..... 9
Lopez..... 55

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Third Ballot.

Edelman..... 7
Van Doren..... 14
Robinson..... 14
Alderson..... 14
Lopez..... 109

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Dr. Lindley moved that Mr. Lopez be made the unanimous choice of the convention. Carried.

CITY ENGINEER.

Gen. Rollins placed Frank Eaton in nomination.

Col. Moore placed in nomination E. T. Wright.

Mr. Luitweiler placed in nomination J. C. Deed.

The candidates made their bows and put up their \$5 pieces.

First Ballot.

Eaton..... 26
Wright..... 26
Deed..... 83

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Before the vote was taken Mr. Carter moved that the candidates be not allowed to make any speeches, as the convention seemed to be growing weary. Carried.

Dr. Cochran moved that Mr. Eaton's nomination be made unanimous. Carried.

STREET SUPERINTENDENT.

Henry Naud placed in nomination Henry M. Jones.

Mr. Meigs placed in nomination W. R. Davis.

Mr. Hoyt placed in nomination James Campbell.

Mr. Russell placed in nomination W. E. Morford.

Mr. Foley placed in nomination John Flood.

Mr. Variel placed in nomination A. W. Ellis.

Mr. Smith placed in nomination Robert Boswell.

Gen. Rollins placed in nomination Frank Walker.

Judge De Pay placed in nomination N. B. Walker.

Mr. Liewellyn placed in nomination W. S. Moore.

First Ballot.

Jones..... 15
Davis..... 6
Campbell..... 6
Morford..... 40
Flood..... 3
Ellis..... 19
Boswell..... 18
Frank Walker..... 15
N. B. Walker..... 9
Moore..... 20

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

It was moved and seconded that the three lowest candidates be dropped from the list. Carried.

Second Ballot.

Jones..... 29
Campbell..... 7
Morford..... 7
Flood..... 60
Ellis..... 14
Boswell..... 4
N. B. Walker..... 3
Moore..... 15

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

The lowest two men were dropped.

Third Ballot.

Jones..... 19
Morford..... 98
Ellis..... 4
Moore..... 3

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

It was moved and seconded that Mr. Morford's nomination be made unanimous.

TWO POLICE JUDGES.

Gen. Rollins placed in nomination M. T. Owens.

Mr. Breed nominated L. Stanton.

Mr. Copp placed in nomination H. J. Crawford.

Dr. McGowan placed in nomination Fred Singletary.

Mr. Hoyt placed in nomination B. F. Singletary.

Mr. McCoy placed in nomination Frank Cherry.

Mr. Benjamin placed in nomination W. Stewart.

Mr. Bienerhassett was nominated by a delegate from the Second Ward.

David E. Adams was placed in nomination.

F. McCusker was placed in nomination by Judge Carpenter.

First Ballot.

Owens..... 73
Stanton..... 58
Crawford..... 58
McGregor..... 28
Singletary..... 39
Cherry..... 36
Stewart..... 36
Bienerhassett..... 3
Adams..... 3
McCusker..... 19

Total vote..... 135
Necessary for choice..... 68
No choice.

Before the second ballot was taken Bienerhassett withdrew his name, and on motion the assessment was returned to that gentleman.

It was moved and carried that the two lowest names be dropped from the list. It was moved and carried that Mr. Owens be declared the unanimous choice of the convention for one of the candidates.

Second Ballot.

Stanton..... 68
McGregor..... 0
Singletary..... 0
Cherry..... 27
McCusker..... 0

Total vote..... 134
Necessary for choice..... 67
No choice.

Before the ballot was taken Dr. McGowan withdrew Mr. McGregors name. On motion, Mr. McGregors assessment was returned. The name of McCusker was withdrawn.

Mr. Stanton was declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

A motion by Judge Carpenter to take a recess until 1 o'clock was lost.

A resolution was submitted by Mr. Allen

of the Fourth Ward, indorsing H. Z. Osborne for Government Printer, the secretary to be instructed to forward a copy of the resolution to President Harrison for his consideration. Carried.

Judge Carpenter renewed his motion to adjourn until 7 o'clock, and called for the yeas and nays.

Before a vote could be taken Judge Carpenter withdrew his motion, and the convention took a recess of 10 minutes.

WARD CONVENTIONS.

The convention then broke up into ward conventions, and the following named gentlemen were nominated for Councilmen:

First Ward—H. V. Van Duzen; Second Ward, George McLain; Third Ward, W. H. Bonnell; Fourth Ward, J. Frankendorf; Fifth Ward, A. C. Shaffer; Sixth Ward, A. N. Hamilton; Seventh Ward, James T. Brown; Eighth Ward, Theo. Sumnerland; Ninth Ward, R. E. Wirsching.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

First Ward, E. J. Cox; Second Ward, J. M. Frews; Third Ward, A. E. Pomeroy; Fourth Ward, F. C. Woodbury; Fifth Ward, Charles J. Ellis; Sixth Ward, W. P. McIntosh; Seventh Ward, J. J. Gosper; Eighth Ward, R. J. Northam; Ninth Ward, E. E. Powers.

CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

First Ward—C. N. Earl, John Horner; Second Ward—J. M. Davis, E. C. Naud; Third Ward—R. D. Wade, P. A. Stanton; Fourth Ward—W. S. Moore, R. H. Hewitt; Fifth Ward—H. H. Wallin, M. Carter; Sixth Ward—J. Watling, C. E. Wallin; Seventh Ward—T. M. Gilbert, O. W. Baldwin; Eighth Ward—G. R. Flint, L. E. Liewellyn; Ninth Ward—W. H. Morford.

It was moved and carried that three colored councilmen-at-large be appointed by the Chair. The Chair named R. C. O. Benjamin, D. Chapman and Robert Owens. Several resolutions were read and laid on the table, and the convention adjourned at 6 o'clock, after tendering a vote of thanks to the presiding officer and the secretary.

HARD GAME.

A Married Woman from San Francisco and Her Capers.

Phillip L. Hoffman, a butcher who keeps a shop at No. 725 Temple street, is out a wife. Some four or five months a fascinating "widow" named Mrs. Abbie Florence Russell, residing at No. 51 Court Circle, came into his shop to purchase a beefsteak.

She was pleasing look upon, and came into

COUNCIL.

A HALF DAY SESSION HELD YESTERDAY.

And a Lonesome Session It Was—A Message from the Mayor—Failure to Repeal the Two Dead Ordinances—Burlingame's Bill Disallowed.

The Council held one-half of its regular meeting yesterday, the morning session only eventuating, and that was very lonesome.

President Kuhn presided, and there were present Councilmen McNally, Humphreys, Sinsbaugh, Shafer, Hanley, Wilson, Cohn, Ford, Bryant, Boshybell, Barrett, Threlkeld and Moriarty.

Mayor Bryson sent in a communication announcing that at a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners the City Clerk had been authorized to place a fire hydrant at the corner of Hays and Mozart streets. Adopted.

Mr. Boshybell called the Council's attention to the obstruction at the corner of Sixth and Spring streets. Referred to the Street Superintendent.

A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR.

To the Honorable Council of Los Angeles—GENTLEMEN: You will remember that in my first message to your honorable body I strongly urged upon you the necessity of providing an outlet for the sewage of the city, disposal of it to the best advantage. As the new charter is now in force, and the next Council does not convene for a month or more yet, I would suggest that you take immediate steps to begin the work of providing for the disposal of the city's sewage, by whatever permanent and good system, in your wisdom, and to the best advantage for the city. There being at this time of the year a number of idle laboring men in the city who could be readily employed on the work, it would be a matter of a comparatively short period to complete it and give the city relief. I therefore beg of you to give this matter your earnest and immediate attention.

Received and filed.

Mr. McNally offered a resolution to the effect that no person be allowed to vote at the approaching municipal election whose name did not appear upon the great register. The gentleman was informed that the matter was not for the Council to determine on, and he was allowed to withdraw the same.

The Auditor's balance sheet was presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Street Superintendent notified the Council that he had been notified by Contractor Dunnigan, who was awarded the contract for the grading of First street, between Fort and Pearl streets, that he is ready to proceed with the work.

The following resolution was offered by Dr. Bryant:

Resolved, that the resolution instructing the Street Superintendent not to sign any contract for grading under the Vernon Act unless the property is of sufficient value to cover the assessment, be and is hereby suspended in relation to the grading of First street from Fort street to Grand avenue.

Adopted.

Mr. Cohn moved that \$1000 be transferred from the cash fund to the First-street improvement fund. Carried.

Mr. Cohn moved that the Street Superintendent collect from W. C. Furey, Frick Bros. and all other contractors all pipe used and not yet paid for.

The Street Superintendent was authorized to sign the contract for the grading of First street immediately.

The report of the Zanja Committee was read and the several recommendations were adopted.

Mr. McNally moved that the Aurora foot bridge and roadway ordinance, which was defeated at the last meeting, again be taken up.

Mr. Cohn rose to a point of order, stating that while he was in favor of the franchise, the ordinance had been killed, and that the Southern Pacific Company was the only one who could again bring up the matter, and then only by introducing a new ordinance, so that the parties objecting to it could receive notice.

The report of the Board of Public Works, as published yesterday in THE TIMES, was read and the various recommendations adopted.

Mr. Boshybell moved that the petition of John M. Davies for a street railway franchise, which was defeated at the last meeting, be taken up at 8 o'clock. The gentleman's motion met the same fate as that of the Southern Pacific foot bridge matter.

The City Hall Committee asked further time, which was granted.

The Street Superintendent was instructed to paint the 10th-street bridge at a cost not to exceed \$50.

The Finance Committee in its report recommended that the bill of E. C. Burlingame for cleaning streets, amounting to about \$1000, be disallowed.

Mr. Burlingame, who was present, made a statement of the work since he had taken the contract. He claimed that the fault did not entirely lie with himself, and that he was perfectly willing to give any citizen a bonus to take the work off his hands. The matter was on motion referred to the Finance Committee and Board of Public Works to ascertain where the fault could be placed.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From property owners on Flower street, between Courthouse and Second streets, praying for the acceptance of said street, the work having been done according to the city's specifications.

From James E. Frizant, asking for relief on taxes. Petitioner states that a lot he had worked hard to pay for was sold as delinquent; that he went to the man who purchased the same, and offered him \$20 more than he paid, and was refused.

From property owners on Nichols street, between Cottage Hill avenue and Arnold street, petitioning for establishment of grade.

Several petitions were filed, asking for rebate of taxes.

There being no quorum at the afternoon session, an adjournment was taken.

COCK AND BULL STORY.

How Vernon Got rid of Her Saloon Tent.

The Trombone of yesterday published a ridiculous story about the running out of a saloon man named J. A. Barrie from the Vernon district. According to the Trombone, thirty lawless citizens waited upon the saloon man with rifles in their hands, and obliged him to go without ceremony. The citizens of Vernon, who are law-abiding as well as teetotalers, feel greatly scandalized by the misrepresentation.

A committee of two of them called at the TIMES office yesterday to explain the matter. They say that they held a meeting Saturday night to discuss the situation, at which fifty citizens were present. They went in a body to La Barta and told him their objections to a saloon. He met them in a gentlemanly way, and told them that if they would buy his tent, he would give them a value upon it, but in the case of Barrie, they considered the man unfortunate and not maliciously obstructive. He is an experienced surveyor by profession, and will perhaps apply himself to something better than keeping a saloon tent.

A Bovine Invasion.

Los Angeles is about to be invaded by a band of wild cattle from the N. B. Fred J. Englehardt received the following dispatch last night from Ventura: "Oxide are now on the way to Los Angeles. They passed through here at 1 o'clock today. They are very wild and difficult to handle, starting at voices, redoubting, etc., people running indoors with alarm. The cattle have never been off their mountain ranges before. Vagabonds in charge are Joe Ortega, Gus Davis, William Canby, George King, Alfred Ortega and Francisco Ortega."

"CITIZENS' REFORM."

A Pinto Ticket Made Up Last Night.

Last night the Executive Committee of the Citizens' Reform movement met in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, on Second street, and after a lengthy session, agreed upon a full ticket, selected from the candidates of the Republican, Democratic and Prohibition parties. Those present were: Judge R. M. Widney, chairman; C. F. Harper, Rev. W. B. Stradley, Dr. J. F. Widney, Ulrich Knoth, F. C. Anderson, N. N. Kluge, C. H. Bradley, G. Wiley Wells, Rev. Dr. Pendleton, Rev. Dr. Williams, E. W. Spencer, Will Rommel, C. P. Dorland, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Huff, William F. Boshybell.

These gentlemen discussed the qualifications of the various candidates, and the following ticket is the result of their deliberations: Mayor, J. R. Toberman; City Clerk, Freeman G. Teed (R.); Auditor, G. T. Hanley (P.); Treasurer, J. R. McManis (D.); Tax Collector, L. C. Curtis (D.); Assessor, J. Fischer (R.); Street Superintendent, William E. Morford (R.); City Engineer, Judge W. G. Gardner; City Engineer, J. H. Donkeweller (D.); Police Judge, C. F. Dorland (P.); W. L. Davis (D.). Council—First Ward, H. B. Van Duzen (R.); Second Ward, J. W. Potts (P.); Third Ward, J. H. Bryant (Ind. D.); Fourth Ward, V. Pons (D.); Fifth Ward, A. C. Shafer (R.); Sixth Ward, A. N. Hamilton (R.); Seventh Ward, J. T. Brown (R.); Eighth Ward, Ulrich Knoth (P.); Ninth Ward, E. R. Threlkeld (D.); Tenth Ward, J. H. Haney (D.). Board of Education—First Ward, Dr. A. Scholtes (D.); Second Ward, J. N. Frew (R.); Third Ward, H. J. Hanchette (D.); Fourth Ward, R. C. Flournoy (D.); Fifth Ward, D. Neuhart (D.); Sixth Ward, A. O. Danan (P.); Seventh Ward, J. J. Gosper (R.); Eighth Ward, R. J. Northam (R.); Ninth Ward, W. Ruddy (D.).

Mr. Toberman accepted the nomination and came to the meeting, making a speech in which he stated his platform to be the new city charter. Tickets will be printed and committees are to be in each ward on election day.

WITNESS-FIXING.

A Greek Named Morros Now in the Kalls.

Another case of attempted witness-fixing came to light in Justice Savage's court yesterday afternoon, when A. K. Morros, a little Greek who keeps a fruit store at No. 10 North Main street, was brought in on a warrant charging him with attempting to tamper with a witness in a case before that court, and held in default of \$5000 bail, the principal facts in which are as follows: Some weeks ago the saloon of a man named Proch, at Wilmington, was burned under circumstances that led to the belief that it was a case of incendiarism. The place was heavily insured beyond what it should have been, besides which there were other suspicious circumstances which the court could not explain. The insurance companies refused to pay the loss, and employed Detective Lawson to work up the case. The officer put in some time at the saloon, and finally secured affidavits and other documents which justified an arrest, and both Proch and his barkeeper, Harris, were taken into custody and locked up on a charge of arson. They were brought before Justice Savage, where the warrant for the preliminary examination was set for the 26th of the present month. Matters progressed very smoothly until a day or two ago, when it was learned that Morros, who is a personal friend of Proch, had been trying to buy off the man Harris, the bartender, who is a material witness in the case. Yesterday it came to the ears of the court that Morros had offered Harris \$100 to suppress certain facts in the interest of Proch, when Justice Savage at once issued a warrant for his arrest, and he was arrested, as above stated.

Morros is the little Greek who had a fruit stand at the corner of Spring and Second street, in the City Hall "hall" for so long, and about whose removal there was so much talk. Since that time he has been comparatively quiet, and nothing has been heard of him until the present time, when he showed up as a witness-briber.

The detective says that he has a straight case against Proch, and that there will no trouble about securing a conviction. Morros is also in a fine way of getting a long term for contempt case.

WALKED INTO A TRAIN.

The Mystery of an Accident Finally Solved.

The unknown young man who was brought to the police station from the Southern Pacific depot early Sunday morning in an unconscious condition had so far improved yesterday under the care of Dr. Choate that he was able to tell his name, which he said was Charles Hays, and he is now believed to be in a fair way of recovery. He cannot yet remember where he is from, or anything connected with the accident, but this is a common feature in injuries to the brain of this character, and does not create any alarm.

Yesterday the conductor of the train which brought Hays to the city called on Dr. Choate to inquire after him. He said that the accident occurred near Los Angeles, and that the first he saw of Hays he was on the track and walking directly toward the train. He was struck by the engine and knocked to one side, evidently striking on his head. He stopped the train as soon as possible, and picked the man up and brought him to the city. Neither he nor any one else had ever seen the man before, and no one about the place where the accident occurred knew anything about him.

For Sara-burning.

The burying named Latimore, charged with burning a barn belonging to A. Chapman last July, was on trial in Judge Cheney's court yesterday. He had been working for Chapman, and they had had trouble and several law suits. One night the barn burned, and a Mr. Alderson saw some one running from the barn. He fired at him, but did not hit him. Latimore was missing the next day. Footprints around the barn were measured, and corresponded to those of the defendant, and a chain of circumstances was evolved which caused him to be suspected and arrested. Several witnesses were examined during the day.

CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The members of the City Central Committee elected yesterday met last evening for permanent organization, and elected the following officers: Chairman, Walter S. Moore; treasurer, O. W. Baldwin; secretary, J. Mills Davies.

Messrs. McClure, Flint and Watkins were appointed a committee to arrange for expenses of the election, assessment of candidates, etc., who will report to the City Central Committee at Union League Hall at 10 o'clock this morning.

The candidates are requested to meet the City Central Committee at the same time and place.

The Mysterious Trunk.

The owner of the trunk found on the sidewalk in front of Lamborn & Turner's store, on Aliso street, Sunday night by Officer Bellue, and taken to the police station, called yesterday and reclaimed the property. The man said that the trunk belonged to a lady in Texas, and that he had intended to ship it to her, having left it on the sidewalk for the transfer wagon. The man was inclined to be very indignant because the trunk was not let alone, until he reminded that the sidewalk was hardly a proper storage-room, especially during the night, when he saw his error, and took a tumble.

Martin Better.

The young man, Martin, who was so badly injured by a runaway team Sunday evening, was so far recovered yesterday that he could tell how the accident occurred. It is now believed that Martin will recover. Quite a number of the young man's friends called at the residence yesterday.

Just Arrived.

Two vagrants, John Carrol, from Orange, ten days, and Thomas Mengon, from Santa Monica, for the same length of time, together with Bong Gow, a Chinese party lately taken from San Gabriel, for 100 days, were registered at the County Jail last night.

Entire wheat flour, a boon to invalids, can be had at Jevon's.

Genuine Java and Mocha coffee, freshly roasted, at H. Jevon's.

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W. MOORE YOUNG.

THE TESTIMONY OF THE PROSECUTION COMPLETED.

The Defendant Testifies as to What an Innocent Young Man He Is—Confronted by Letters That Have a Confusing Effect.

The Government concluded its testimony in the United States Court yesterday in the case of W. Moore Young, charged with making false returns to the internal revenue department. Its last witness was J. J. White, who was introduced to testify as to the character of Eli B. Davis, the chief witness for the prosecution. The evidence was not admitted, the Court holding that no effort had been made to impeach the character of Davis as to truth and veracity.

Before proceeding with the defense, the attorneys moved to exclude all evidence which had been introduced as to Young's knowledge of the concealed tank in the winery of the Fruitvale Wine and Fruit Company, on the ground that the tank was ordered and put in place by the defendant, Davis, Warner and Olsen before the time covered by the indictment, and the jury might argue from that circumstance that he knew Francis was being illicitly made and used. The matter was argued, the jury being removed from the room for that purpose.

Judge Ross held that this was one of the most pregnant facts in the testimony, and denied the motion.

The defense introduced several prominent citizens of Fresno who testified to the good character of the defendant, and stating that he had borne a very good reputation in Fresno. Among these witnesses were J. M. Miller, L. A. Basingame, O. J. Mead and H. Eggers.

Eggers was also questioned as an expert grape-grower, and gave the average percent of sugar in Fresno county grapes, first at 38, and afterward qualifying his statement by making it from 35 to 36 per cent, with about 10 per cent of alcohol.

The defendant, W. Moore Young, was then put on the stand, and the balance of the day was taken up with his direct and cross-examination. On direct examination by Mr. Grady he entered a general denial of any knowledge as to the making of brandy at the distillery. He testified that he was a native of Scotland, and had lived nearly ten years in Fresno county. He was one of the directors of the company, and secretary on a salary. He admitted that he had resigned grapes off and on at the winery, when Eli Davis, the superintendent, asked him to do so. He never had been in the distillery, and had no knowledge that the distillery was running during the time covered by the indictment, from August 15th to December 25, 1887. He never had any knowledge of the amount of brandy made, other than the amount reported to him by Davis, who would sometimes bring the reports to him into Fresno, and sometimes he would make up his report to the Government from Davis's book at the winery. He drew checks for the wages of the men from orders brought by them from Davis. No one informed him that the still was running, and he was not aware of ever seeing it in operation. He did not know how much wine was made at the winery until the season was over and the reports came from the firm in San Francisco, to whom it was consigned. Davis was authorized to purchase everything required, and when he informed the defendant that more tanks were needed he ordered them. There were twenty or thirty ordered at the same time the concealed tank was ordered. He did not know them, but it was for the purpose of hiding brandy, and it was at Davis's request that he was present and helped put the tank in place. He did not know it was to be used for anything, and he did not know it was unlawful until Mr. Ellis told him so in May, 1888. The proposition of Davis's fortifying wines was never discussed at a directors' meeting. Mr. Young testified that he knew nothing whatever about making brandy, and did not understand the use of the French still. He had worked the still, but only with Davis's assistance. His attention being called to the jig he had danced on the concealed tank when it fell in place, he said that that was only an embellishment of spirit; he was not a dancer, and he never danced on a tank. He never knew it was unlawful to have such a tank.

Upon cross-examination of Mr. Young, District Attorney Deane introduced a large batch of letters from various firms to whom wine had been shipped, many of them being from Messrs. Lachman & Jacoby, San Francisco. The letters, which contained a voluminous correspondence about the character of the wines shipped, and suggestions as to the best method of making them of the requisite strength by fortification, were offered to show that the defendant could not help knowing that brandy was used in the fortifying of the wines, and that the must have had a thorough knowledge of what was happening. The defense objected vigorously to the introduction of the letters, but the Court overruled the objections, holding that the testimony tended toward contradicting the witness that he had no knowledge that brandy was used in the wine. The cross-examination of the defendant was not finished when court adjourned, to meet at 10 o'clock this morning.

Too Well Pressed.

Last night between 11 and 12 o'clock, Officer Crowley caught an old "rounder" wandering about on Alameda street with a fine suit of custom-made clothes and an extra pair of pantaloons hanging over his arm which he was trying to sell. As the clothing was not in keeping with Mr. Bryant's up-to-date and he could explain how they came into his possession, Crowley took him in charge and brought him to the station, where he was locked up on suspicion. The clothes are a brown check pattern, with Polish's trade mark, and have not been worn a great deal. They are at the station awaiting identification by the owner.

Grass Getting Short.

The bunco men are considerably worked up over the crusade that is being made against them in the public press, and several of the floating "talent" have skipped out for pasture new. They say that the constant agitation in the public press, the "suckers" on their guard, and that they will not bite. The latest departure for San Francisco are Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, who figured in the Porter case Sunday a week ago. The grass is becoming very short, and short to furnish comfortable grazing, and with a little extra exertion the entire gang can be cleaned out.

A Monstrous Mulcted.

Chet Lee was fined \$25 yesterday by Justice Savage for disturbing the peace of Deputy Constable Harry Johnson. Harry attached a horse and wagon Saturday on Marchessault street, in front of the Chinese Theater, and Chet Lee uproariously objected, saying it was his horse and wagon. He could not be convinced that Harry was acting in pursuance of his duty, and the latter was obliged to take him as well as the horse and wagon. The Justice read the riot act to the Mongolian for interfering with an officer of his court, and fined him.

Sparring Match.

The Los Angeles Athletic Club is issuing tickets for a sparring match, to take place at its hall this evening between Kid Burns and T. S. Clark of Santa Barbara. It is to be with light padded gloves, so that there will be no infringement of the law, but, nevertheless, it will be "to a finish."

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LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

An Idea.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] As a solution of the question, what shall we do with the unemployed workingmen in the city, I propose that you open a subscription list, for every citizen to contribute whatever they may be able to, fund, the amount of which shall be placed in the city treasury, at the disposal of the Council, to be applied to public improvements, thus relieving the unemployed, improving the city and benefiting the citizens. For the above purpose I herewith inclose \$1 as a starter, with the promise that if successful, will give more. Very truly yours, A SUBSCRIBER.

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For Auditor—C. F. Harper (P.).

For Treasurer—J. R. McManis (D.).

For Tax Collector—L. C. Curtis (D.).

For Assessor—J. Fischer (R.).

For Street Superintendent—William E. Morford (R.).

For City Engineer—Judge W. G. Gardner.

For City Engineer—J. H. Donkeweller (D.).

For Police Judge—C. F. Dorland (P.).

Davis (D.).

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